

## House Resolution No. 2988

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause in silent reverie to recognize the lifetime achievements of George Washington "G.W." Grady, an outstanding Missourian who positively touched the lives of countless individuals during his seventy-five-year journey on this most precious earth; and

**Whereas**, George Grady was born to V.H. Grady and Mary Jane Jefferson on March 14, 1927, in Sledge, Mississippi, and was living in St. Louis, Missouri, on February 11, 2003, when God took him home to the love and beauty of His everlasting light; and

**Whereas**, George Grady will be sorely missed by his grieving family whose members include George W. Grady, Jr., Charles I. Grady, Katherine Grady Dunn, Tyrone Grady, Jessie Lee Love, Debrah Love, Ronald Love, Marie Love, Kenny Love, Malinda Austin Hall, and John Austin; his mother-in-law, Pearl L. Grady of Forrest City, Arkansas; his sisters and brothers, Leaner Grady Jones, Inez Grady Patton, Lula Grady Rivers, Dora Grady Mull, Rosa Grady Swift, Shirley Grady Haggins, Victor Grady, Ezell Grady, Kenny Grady, Otis Grady, and Harold Grady; twenty-five grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; and a host of other family members and friends; and

**Whereas**, George Grady had also nurtured a very special relationship of love and devotion with other members of his family who preceded him in death, including his parents; one son, Candy Grady; one sister, Clara Mae Brown; and two brothers, Tom Jefferson and John Henry Grady; and

**Whereas**, George Grady had confessed to Christ at an early age and was known, admired, and respected for having been an active member of the United States Armed Forces; and

**Whereas**, George Grady will be remembered as a person of unbounded vision who zealously supported many significant endeavors throughout his life:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously in paying final tribute to George Grady and in expressing to his family our deepest sympathy at this difficult time of tremendous personal loss; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for the loved ones of the late George Washington Grady.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Betty L. Thompson  
District No. 72

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 2988, adopted May 16, 2003.

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Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker